

TITLE

PROTECTIVE LAYERS COMPATIBLE WITH THICK FILM
PASTES

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ABSTRACT

10 This invention relates to novel processes comprising a protective
polymer layer in the fabrication of electronic devices using thick film pastes. The
protective polymer layer is fabricated from materials which are insoluble after
irradiation in the ester-type solvents contained in the thick film paste. By
appropriate selection of protective film polymers, the protective film can be
compatible with the thick film paste.